

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(CASE NO. MBHB00-203)**

<b>In Re Application of:</b>	)	
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<b>Ruderman, et al</b>	)	<b>Examiner: Carolyn Bleck</b>
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<b>Serial No.: 09,534,946</b>	)	
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<b>Title: CARDIOVASCULAR</b>	)	
<b>HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT</b>	)	
<b>SYSTEM AND METHOD</b>	)	

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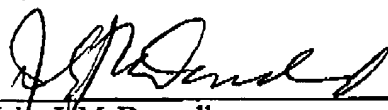
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